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Title: COMPUTATIONAL FLUID DYNAMICS SOFTWARE

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Washington, D.C. 20231
Sir:

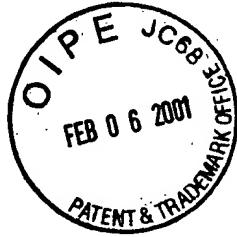
In response to the Formalities Letter dated January 29, 2001, there are submitted herewith the following:

- [X] A copy of the Formalities Letter dated January 29, 2001.
- [X] A properly signed and dated declaration attached to a copy of the application as filed on December 12, 2000.
- [X] Utility application filing fee.
- [X] Surcharge for late payment of filing fee and/or late filing of declaration.

The Formalities Letter indicates that "an abstract was not provided with this application." However, an abstract was submitted with the originally filed application documents, as the first page of the specification. The further copy of the application submitted herewith also includes the "Abstract of the Disclosure" as the first page thereof.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required

fees associated with this communication and during the pendency of the application under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 082670. This sheet is submitted in duplicate.



Respectfully submitted,


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- An abstract was not provided for this application. An abstract of the technical disclosure is required under 37 CFR 1.72(b).

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*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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